### Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commission

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MEMBER COUNTIES: CRAWFORD-DANE-GRANT-IOWA-ROCK-SAUK-WALWORTH-WAUKESHA

DATE: 1 October 2004

TO: Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commissioners & Other Interested Persons

FROM: Joni Graves - Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commission

## WRRTC Executive Committee Meeting Friday – 8 October 2004 at 10:00 a.m.

Dane County Highway Garage, 2302 Fish Hatchery Road, Madison, WI

Commissioners – if you will not be attending the meeting, please call 608.342.1057.

- The Agenda for the meeting is attached. The format is more detailed, reflecting the recent opinion of Attorney General Lautenschlager regarding the necessary level of detail required to keep interested members of the public informed about information to be conveyed in reports.
- If you have any questions regarding the Agenda, or if our mailing information for you is incorrect, please email gravesjh@uwplatt.edu or call 608-342-1057. Thank you.
- Unless otherwise noticed, the Commission's meetings are normally held on the first Friday after the first Tuesday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Dane County Highway/Transportation Building

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

5 November FULL COMMISSION
10 December Exec. Commission mtg

**To:** Local News Media – For Your Information

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Thank you for your assistance.

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#### Estimated time: 10 minutes

- 1. Call to Order Chairman Shroble
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Proof of Public Notice
- 4. Approval of the Agenda
- **5. Approval of the Minutes** ( 6 August and 10 September 2004 meetings) Joni Graves

#### Estimated time: 30-40 minutes

#### 6. WSOR Monthly Operator's Report – Ken Lucht

#### **Monthly Operations:**

General Maintenance Activities

#### **State Rehab Projects:**

Update on Milton Junction to Anderson Siding Project (2004)

Proposed Hartford to Slinger Rehab Project (2005)

#### **Continuing Issues / Topics:**

United States Secretary of Transportation Norman Mineta visit to WI

Canadian National abandonment of rail line in Eastern WI

WSOR's 5 + 1 Plan

#### Estimated time: No Report

- 7. WisDOT Report & Possible Request for Action Frank Huntington
  - a) Frank reported that he has no formal report for the meeting.

#### Estimated time: 25-35 minutes

#### 8. WRRTC Financials

- a) Treasurer's Report Jim Matzinger
- b) Consideration of action on invoices received by WRRTC Matzinger
- c) 2003 Audit Update Matzinger
- d) Update on status of funding for 2004/2005 projects Jim Matzinger
- e) Update on Project Cost-Sharing Agreement Graves

#### Estimated time: 15-30 minutes

#### **Updates/Old Business:**

- 9. Mazomanie (Rail Spur Removal) Ad Hoc Committee Update Van Schwartz, Gray, Foye
- 10. Staff Services Ad Hoc Committee Update Foye, Gray, Sheckler

#### 11. Adjournment